





THE DAILY RECORD-UNION.  
FRIDAY.....MARCH 30, 1883

Meteorological Observations—Takca at Signal Station at the same moment.

SACRAMENTO, March 29, 1883—829 P. M.

Place of observation.	Height above sea level.	Wind direction.	Wind force.	Barometer.	State of the weather.
Olympia, ...	29.51	N. E.	11	Fair	
Portland, ...	30.51	E. N. E.	30	Light rain	
Seattle, ...	30.51	W. N. W.	10	Fresh	
Memphis, ...	30.60	E. S. E.	10	Threat'ning	
Hartford, ...	30.70	E. S. E.	10	Fair	
St. Louis, ...	30.70	S. W. S. W.	10	Fresh	
S. Francisco, ...	30.70	S. W. W. N.	10	Cloudy	
Vasquez, ...	30.80	S. W. N.	10	Light	
Lake Superior, ...	30.80	S. W. N.	10	Cloudy	
S. Diego, ...	30.80	S. W. N.	10	Cloudy	

Maximum temperature, 62.2; minimum, 44.8.

River above low-water mark, at 11 A. M., 19.3 feet.

JAMES A. BARWICK,  
Signal Corps U. S. A.

ADVERTISEMENT MENTION.

Metropolitan Theater.—The Red Pocket-book.

Notices—Capitol Lodge, No. 57, I. O. O. F.

Formal—Scarf and pin.

Waiters—Engaged to weve.

For sale—Two gentle carriage horses.

Chapter 3—J. P. Sardis.

Proposal—Forage and straw.

Waiters—Rooms and board.

Ball—Company B.

Business Advertisements.

A. Leonard & Son—Notice to let and for sale.

Mechanics' Store—Children's dresses.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

ANTHRACITE COAL IN CALIFORNIA.—S. H. Pugh, of Brighton, yesterday presented to this office a specimen of what appears to be a very fine quality of anthracite coal, and which was recently discovered in the mountains of this State. It was discovered by a couple of gentlemen while quail-shooting, and sent to Mr. Pugh. The locality of the find is thus far not given. They state that there are two ledges, which crop out of the ground, both of about the same quality, one being about four and the other two feet in thickness. They add, however, that they state in the letter, a number of nests, which are which has so little of foreign substance in it, that it would not break, but could easily be cut with a knife. Mr. Pugh states that the gentlemen who report the discoveries to him are thoroughly reliable, and their statements can be implicitly believed.

The specimen of coal was shown to several gentlemen in the city yesterday, and they all agreed that it is a good coal, though not found in the State or vicinity, and strongly resembles in appearance the anthracite coal of Pennsylvania. It is evidently harder than bituminous, or what is known as the red-coal, and is probably the Cumberland, or white-coal, in hardness.

The hardness of the coal and color of the ashes it will produce when burned, is easily determined by the following test:

As the hardness is generally in proportion to the glaze seen upon the broken surface, and this kind generally gives white ashes; while the softer the coal the duller will be the appearance, the ashes is indicated by the degree of dullness and freedom from glaze. The latter generally produces red ashes, and burns more freely and rapidly.

Should the coal just discovered in the States, in which it is found, be brought to public notice, be of the quality promised from the specimens presented, and be accessible to railroad or water transportation, and the veins be of sufficient thickness to be worked profitably, it will be of great value, not only to the owners of the mine, but also, commercially, to the people of the State. The copper mentioned is also, if the purity described, an interesting matter for investigation.

GOING TO BE DISCHARGED.—This afternoon Sergeant Barwick will leave for Benicia to receive his discharge. His second term of service will expire to-morrow. The terms of enlistment are for five years, and the Sergeant now closed his tenth year in the Signal Service Department. He will immediately report to the Adjutant General, at which time his leave of absence expires, and will return to this city. The Sergeant will visit a cousin in Santa Rosa, whom he has not seen in twenty-five years, after which he will make his first visit to the home of his parents, who have been here since he was sent from Alameda, Mexican, to take charge of the weather here. A week ago there was some talk in this valley of getting up a petition to the War Department to release him from the service, but the advice on the ground that he did not supply sufficient rain. The arrival a few days ago from Washington of an assistant was probably the only thing that prevented the project from being carried out.

He will be left in charge of the office during Barwick's ten days absence. There are no funds available, and the man may know to whom the condition of the weather will be due for the next ten days.

THE DOOMED HURTADO.—Jos. Hurtado, who told yesterday morning by Jaller before the decision of the Supreme Court, affirming the judgment of the lower Court, expressed no word or sign of surprise, but was as cool and composed as he has been through all the proceedings of the trial. For the past three years he has been under the care of the physicians of the lung, and has been allowed some privileges around the jail heretofor which will now be denied him.

His wife was much better last evening, and again, though he was to be denied his prostration caused by the announcement of the decision of the Supreme Court. She had not been to visit her husband for over a month, and when she did, he was too ill to do so, so as only distract him more.

His counsel will petition for a re-hearing on other and several grounds.

COMPANY A'S BALL.—The complimentary hall and exhibition drill, which was tendered by Company A, City Guards, to Brigadier-General Carey, will take place to-night at Armory Hall. It was postponed last week on account of falling Good Friday.

The Chico Record says 500 jack rabbits have been used in that city during the winter in the manufacture of tomates, very few chickens are ever used.

A few days ago a wagon and team were lost in Sierra river, above Eagle Rock, I. T. Snake river is unlike any other stream, unless it be the Colorado. A body carried off by the current was found floating down the river from last fall.

Wm. Jones, the Middleton murderer, is to be hanged at Lakeport between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

The Chico Herald says that a new cemetery is being surveyed and platted to accommodate the immigrants on the road to Benton.

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Surveyor-General Robbins, at Tucson, A. T., has received a dispatch from Washington ordering him to delay the survey of the south boundary line of the San Carlos Reservation, for fear of irritating the Indians and causing a general outbreak.

There is a rumor that a survey has been ordered by the Union Pacific Railroad of a road from Eagle Rock, I. T., to Yerba Park. This will run out to the Market Lake and Northern Railroad to Market Lake and thence up the North fork of Snake river.

The Arcata Transport Company, of Humboldt county, has sold its railroad to a San Francisco company, which has bought a large tract of redwood land on the north fork of the river. The road will be extended across the river and a mill will be built at Blue Lake.

At Merced Wednesday afternoon, during the thunder-storm, there was a cloud-burst among the hills seven miles east of the town, and the torrent swept a large number of sheep owned by E. Dodge into an arroyo. The herd barely escaped from the sudden flood.

In overhauling the sleds and debris of the snow, Mount Shasta Company's office, destroyed during the late fire at Forest City, three year's cans, one containing about a thousand dollars' worth of gold nuggets, were found. The specimens had evidently been stolen from the mine and hidden away.

The Calistoga Times says: S. W. Colins and W. N. Harley have purchased three acres of ground, and will build a house with stable, studio, &c., on 413 G street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

HAYSTERS' OIL.—February 11, 1883.

I was very glad to say I have tried Hipp Bitters, and never took anything that did me as much good. I took two bottles and I would not take \$100 for the good they did me. I recommend them to my patients, and get best results from them.

C. B. MERCER, M. D.

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"Men are but sorry wretches in their own cause." The praise of Kidney-Wort comes from the mouths of those who have heard the Professor, to insure their attention, but his professor is said to be that of everybody else to give it in his favor. In it he takes his audience, by imagination, upon a veritable trip to the moon, and then successively to Mars, and the like of a whole inhabited world, but where no trace of animal or vegetable life is now to be seen. Turning from this scene of desolation, earth is viewed in the distance and other planets now teeming with life.

GUILD OF ST. PAUL.—The annual election of officers of the Guild of St. Paul of the Episcopal Church, was held yesterday with the following result: President, Mrs. Theo. Harper; First Vice-President, Mrs. J. P. Potts; Second Vice-President, Mrs. H. Wachhorst; Treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Stephenson (re-elected); Secretary, Mrs. H. V. Gilman. The guild has a large membership, and the reports of the Secretary and Treasurer showed that it is in a flourishing condition.

TO THE WORLD.—Professor Norton will this evening deliver a lecture at the Sixth street M. E. Church, under the auspices of the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle, having for his subject "The History of a Dead World." It will be unnecessary to say more than the above to any who have heard the Professor, to insure their attention, but his professor is said to be that of everybody else to give it in his favor.

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## COMMERCIAL.

## San Francisco Produce Market.

**Flour**—The Chinese steamer will take away to-day over 6,000 barrels. The tendency of the market is to fall, and we can't get along without flour. The price is \$1.40 per barrel, medium grade, \$50 per cwt.; shipping \$65 per cwt. Medium Grades, \$50 per cwt.; Shipping \$65 per cwt.

**Wine**—The importation of the market is largely suspended on the action of holders. For some time the offerings have been slim, but as the high calling rates kept up, there was a demand that has led us to exhibiting samples. There is now some little disposition to realize, and shippers are letting the situation.

The price of brandy is \$1.50 per cental, and it is claimed that wine can be readily supplied at \$1.50.

Possible differences will result in a few days, but the market may consequently brighten up.

For fancy milles \$1.50 is considered a full figure, while light milles are \$1.25 per cental.

Imports are based on a basis of \$1.57 per cental. On call considerable business was done in No. 1 White on future account, as follows:

April—100 tons, \$1.50; 100 tons, \$1.51.

Buyer the season—100 tons, \$1.50; 100 tons, \$1.51.

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Quality—100 tons, Wheat at leading centers are telegraphed as follows:

Chicago, St. Louis, New York.

Spec W. central..... 71% \$1.50-\$1.55

April..... 1 1/2% \$1.50-\$1.55

May..... 1 1/2% \$1.50-\$1.55

June..... 1 1/2% \$1.50-\$1.55

The Chicago quotations represent Spring, while the St. Louis and New York figures are for Red Winter quantities.

Barley—The market was a little weaker to-day, and prices slightly recovered. The partial clearing up of the weather seems to have again arrested the market. The market is still strong, and it is believed that a more buoyant tone will prevail by the end of the week.

Sales at the call of the Produce Exchange were as follows:

April—200 tons, \$1.50; 100 tons, \$1.51.

May—100 tons, \$1.50; 100 tons, \$1.51.

June—100 tons, \$1.50; 100 tons, \$1.51.

July—100 tons, \$1.50; 100 tons, \$1.51.

August—100 tons, \$1.50; 100 tons, \$1.51.

September—100 tons, \$1.50; 100 tons, \$1.51.

October—100 tons, \$1.50.

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